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INTENSIVE COTTON DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME ON MINI MISSION
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Intensive Cotton Development Programmeof Mini Mission-2 has been launched in Karnataka;

(b) if so, the amount released by the Government for the above programme during 2002- 2003; and

(c) the action taken to release the balance amount?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): An amount of Rs.108.00 lakh was released to Karnataka under the Mini-MissionII of Technology Mission on Cotton during 2002-03. Besides, an unspent balance of Rs.42.30 lakh as on 1.4.2002 was also revalidated for use during 2002-03.